

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
UTILITIES COMMISSION
RALEIGH**

DOCKET NO. SP-7664, SUB 0

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of
Application of Parkdale Solar, LLC, for a) ORDER ISSUING CERTIFICATE
Certificate of Public Convenience and) AND ACCEPTING REGISTRATION
Necessity to Construct a 5-MW Solar) OF NEW RENEWABLE ENERGY
Facility in Yadkin County, North Carolina) FACILITY

BY THE COMMISSION: On March 2, 2016, Parkdale Solar, LLC (Applicant), filed an application seeking a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to G.S. 62-110.1(a) for construction of a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility to be located off Woodruff Road, approximately 0.17 miles north of the intersection of Woodruff Road and West Main Street, near Boonville, Yadkin County, North Carolina. The Applicant plans to sell the electricity generated by this facility to Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (DEC).

Contemporaneously with the application, the Applicant filed a registration statement for a new renewable energy facility.

On March 3, 2016, the Commission issued an Order Requiring Publication of Notice.

On March 30, 2016, the Applicant filed a verified certificate of service stating that the application and the related public notice were provided to DEC on March 30, 2016, which was after the first date of publication. DEC has informed the Public Staff that DEC will waive its right to be served in a timely manner.

On April 8, 2016, the State Clearinghouse filed comments. Because of the nature of the comments, the cover letter indicated that no further State Clearinghouse review action by the Commission was required for compliance with the North Carolina Environmental Policy Act.

On April 18, 2016, the Applicant filed an affidavit of publication from The Yadkin Ripple (Yadkinville, North Carolina) stating that the publication of notice was completed on April 7, 2016. No complaints have been received.

The Public Staff presented this matter to the Commission at its Regular Staff Conference on May 9, 2016. The Public Staff stated that it had reviewed the application and determined it to be in compliance with the requirements of G.S. 62-110.1(a) and Commission Rule R8-64. The Public Staff further stated that the registration statement

contains the certified attestations required by Commission Rule R8-66(b). Therefore, the Public Staff recommended approval of the certificate and registration for the facility.

After careful consideration, the Commission finds good cause to approve the application and issue the attached certificate for the proposed solar photovoltaic electric generating facility. The Commission further finds good cause, based upon the foregoing and the entire record in this proceeding, to accept registration of the facility as a new renewable energy facility. The Applicant shall annually file the information required by Commission Rule R8-66 on or before April 1 of each year and will be required to participate in the NC-RETS REC tracking system (<http://www.ncrets.org>) in order to facilitate the issuance of RECs.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED as follows:

1. That the application of Parkdale Solar, LLC, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity shall be, and is hereby, approved.

2. That Appendix A shall constitute the certificate of public convenience and necessity issued to Parkdale Solar, LLC, for the 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility located off Woodruff Road, approximately 0.17 miles north of the intersection of Woodruff Road and West Main Street, near Boonville, Yadkin County, North Carolina.

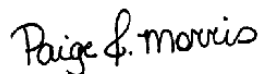
3. That the registration statement filed by Parkdale Solar, LLC, for its solar photovoltaic facility located in Yadkin County, North Carolina, as a new renewable energy facility, shall be, and is hereby, accepted.

4. That Parkdale Solar, LLC, shall annually file the information required by Commission Rule R8-66 on or before April 1 of each year.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 9th day of May, 2016.

NORTH CAROLINA UTILITIES COMMISSION



Paige J. Morris, Deputy Clerk

Commissioner Don M. Bailey did not participate in this decision.

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Parkdale Solar, LLC
PO Box 1395
Cornelius, North Carolina 28031

is hereby issued this

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY
PURSUANT TO G.S. 62-110.1

for a 5-MW_{AC} solar photovoltaic electric generating facility

located

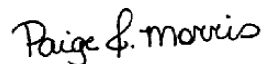
off Woodruff Road, approximately 0.17 miles north of the intersection of Woodruff Road
and West Main Street, near Boonville, Yadkin County, North Carolina,

subject to all orders, rules, regulations and conditions
as are now or may hereafter be lawfully made
by the North Carolina Utilities Commission.

ISSUED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

This the 9th day of May, 2016.

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